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BOX PATENT APPLICATION
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

September 19, 2001

10573 U.S. PTO
109/955169
09/19/01

Re: Application of Keisuke YOSHIKUNI, Atsushi UEZAKI, Youji TOUMA, Shogo TSUKADA
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING GLASS GOB, METHOD
FOR PRODUCING GLASS MOLDED ARTICLE, METHOD FOR
PRODUCING OPTICAL ELEMENT
Assignee: HOYA CORPORATION
Our Ref. Q66293

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including 32 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 6 sheet(s) of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is the Information Disclosure Statement.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

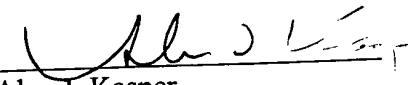
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| Total claims | 14 | - | 20 | = | x | \$18.00 | = | \$0.00 |
| Independent claims | 2 | - | 3 | = | x | \$80.00 | = | \$0.00 |
| Base Fee | | | | | | | | \$710.00 |
| Multiple Dependent Claim Fee | | | | | | | | \$270.00 |

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| TOTAL FILING FEE | \$980.00 |
| Recordation of Assignment | \$40.00 |
| TOTAL FEE | <u>\$1020.00</u> |

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$980.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from September 21, 2000 based on JP Application No. 286454/2000. The priority document(s) will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,
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